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Docket No: Q93671

Carlo MIGLI

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Examiner: Jeffrey O'BRIEN

Filed: April 10, 2006

For: HINGE ASSEMBLY FOR THE ARTICULATED CONNECTION OF A  
VERTICALLY OPENING PANEL TO A FURNITURE ELEMENT

**REQUEST FOR REFUND PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.28**

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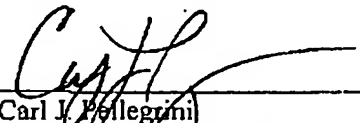
Director of the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office  
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Sir:

Applicant hereby respectfully requests a refund in the amount of \$65.00 for the Petition  
for Extension of Time and \$405 for the RCE fee which were filed on December 10, 2009.  
Applicant was entitled to small entity status at the time these fees were paid. This refund is to be  
credited to Deposit Account No. 19-4880.

A copy of the Submission of Assertion of Small Entity Status is attached.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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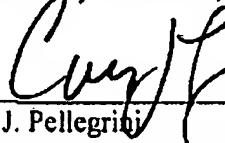
**ASSERTION OF SMALL ENTITY STATUS**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.27, the above-captioned patent is  
hereby entitled to small entity status.

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**Title of Invention:**

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